

Tennessee State Library and Archives

LETTERS OF THE TENNESSEE GOVERNORS JOHN SEVIER 1803 - 1809 (Part 2)

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NAME	YEAR	PLACE	INCOMING OUTGOING	SUBJECT
Grand Jury of Christian County Circuit Court	1805	Christian Co., KY	In	Grand Jury indictment of John Stewart for horse thievery
Greenup, Christopher (Governor of KY)	1805	Frankfort, KY	In	Request to have John Stewart arrested and extradited to KY for horse thievery
Jenkins, Augustine	1805	Newport, TN	In	Resignation as Justice of the Peace [Cocke County]
Lillard, William	1805	Knoxville, TN	In	Report on inspection of road to GA
Peck, Adam	1805	NG	In	Notifies that the road to GA is completed and requests to have it inspected
Scott, James	1805	Blount Co., TN	In	Request to have an alledged Indian raid on the property of William McNabb investigated
Wythe, Charles	1805	South West Point, TN	In	Claims that his arrest for negligence of duty was not warranted and resigns as an Adjutant General of the TN militia

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Allen, Thomas; Overton, John; Stewart D., et al	1806	NG	In	Bond to allow Thomas Allen to assume the office of Clerk and Master of Equity of the Robertson District
Cagle, Wilson	1806	NG	In	Resignation as Justice of the Peace for Smith County
Cobb, Asa	1806	Knoxville, TN	In	Resignation as Justice of the Peace for Roane County
Conway, Henry	1806	NG	In	Resignation as Justice of the Peace for Rutherford County
Coplin, David	1806	Greene Co., TN	In	Resignation as Justice of the Peace for Greene County
Edmiston, Thomas	1806	NG	In	Resignation as Justice of the Peace for Williamson County
Heaton, Robert	1806	NG	In	Resignation as Justice of the Peace for Davidson County
Howell, John	1806	NG	In	Resignation as Justice of the Peace for Rutherford County
Huling, James	1806	NG	In	Resigns as Justice of the Peace for Montgomery County and names John Stirling as successor
Lea, Mayor	1806	Rutledge, TN	In	Resignation as Justice of the Peace for Grainger County
Lusk, Andrew M.	1806	NG	In	Oath to fulfill office of Commissioner of East TN
McKay, Abraham	1806	NG	In	Resignation as Justice of the Peace for Cocke County
Porter, William	1806	Sevierville, TN	In	Resignation as Justice of the Peace for Sevier County
Prathen, Thomas	1806	Greene Co., TN	In	Resignation as Justice of the Peace for Greene County
Reagan, Henry	1806	NG	In	Resignation as Justice of the Peace
Robinson, David	1806	NG	In	Resignation as Justice of the Peace for Greene County

Sawyers, John	1806	Knoxville, TN	In	Resignation as Justice of the Peace for Rutherford County
Small, Henry	1806	NA	In	Record of sale of the land of Isaac Wicoff to John Blair for nonpayment of taxes
Stone, H.D.L.	1806	NG	In	Resignation as Justice of the Peace for Williamson County
Williams, Nathaniel; Jackson, Andrew; Walton, William, et al	1806	NG	In	Bond to allow Nathaniel W. Williams to assume the office of Clerk and Master in Equity of the Winchester District

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NG	1807	Muscle Shoals, AL	In	Report of John Osburn concerning the murder of Cash Prigmore
Meigs, Return	1807	Hiawassee District, TN	In	Cover letter enclosing a report from Samuel Riley on the murder of Cash Prigmore [Report not on file]
Porter, Joseph B.; Neeley, James; and Hawkins, John	1807	Williamson [County], TN	In	Attests that a road from Franklin, TN to Muscle Shoals, AL has been laid off by order of the TN General Assembly and includes a map of the road.
Swann, Thomas; Blount, Willie; and Searcy, Bennet	1807	NG	In	Bond for Thomas Swann as Clerk and Master in Equity of the Robertson District
Whitney, Eli and Miller, Catherine	1807	Camden County, GA	In	Gives power of attorney to Russell Goodrich as regards granting TN patent rights to the cotton gin

Whitney, Eli and Miller, Catherine	1807	Camden County, GA	In	Bond agreement to pay the state of TN \$10,000 if cotton gin patent rights are not provided
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NA	1808	Montgomery Co., TN	In	Petition for the governor to call the state legislature into session to address financial protection of TN citizens from problems arising from the US trade embargo with Great Britain and France
Cornells, Alex H.	1808	Talesee (sic), TN	In	Expresses intention of Creek Indians to pursue justice
Hawkins, Benjamin	1808	Creek Agency	In	Expresses intention of Creek Indians to pursue justice and their desire to maintain peace
Hopoheilthlee Miceo (King, James)	1808	Talesee (sic), TN	In	Expresses intention of Creek Indians to pursue justice (Benjamin Hawkins, Interpreter)
Kavanaugh, Charles	1808	NG	In	Proceedings of a meeting in Rutherford County, TN concerning petitioning the governor
Nichol, Josiah	1808	Knox County, TN	In	Oath of Archibald Roane as Commissioner for East TN
Nichol, Josiah	1808	NG	In	Receipt of payment from Dr. Robert Houston for materials and stationery supplies for state use

Reynolds, James B.; Haywood, John; and Whiteside, Jenkin	1808	NG	Incomig	Bond for James B. Reynolds as Clerk and Master in Equity of the Robertson District
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NA	1809	Maryville, TN	In	Petition for the governor to call the state legislature into session to address financial protection of TN citizens from problems arising from the US trade embargo with Great Britain and France
NA	1809	NG	In	Petition for the governor to call the state legislature into session to address financial protection of TN citizens from problems arising from the US trade embargo with Great Britain and France
Brewer, Sterling and Read, John	1809	Charlotte, TN	In	Petition for the governor to call the state legislature into session to address financial protection of TN citizens from problems arising from the US trade embargo with Great Britain and France
Johnson, Thomas and Swann, Thomas	NG	Springfield, TN	In	Petition for the governor to call the state legislature into session to address financial protection of TN citizens from problems arising from the US trade embargo with Great Britain and France
Lowry, John	1809	Highawassee [?]	In	Concerns the inspection of a road and a dispute over the sale of a slave

Meigs, Return	1809	Kingston, TN	In	Recommendations on time and conditions to call a meeting with Cherokee chiefs concerning the purchase of land by the state
Robertson, James	1809	Nashville, TN	In	Agrees with time set for treaty negotiations with the Cherokee
Robertson, James	1809	Nashville, TN	In	Informs that the treasurer [of Mero District] will be able to provide adequate funds and details preparations for travel
Robertson, James	1809	Nashville, TN	In	Agrees to postponement of the treaty negotiations with the Cherokee

Box 2

NAME	YEAR	PLACE	INCOMING OUTGOING	SUBJECT
NA	1803	Knoxville, TN	Out	Circular in answer to complaints about the appointment of officers for 500 militia men activated to serve the federal government in Louisiana
NG	1807	Knoxville, TN	Out	Circular calling for volunteers to serve in the federal army
Cherokee Nation	1803	NG	Out	Entreats Cherokee to allow a road to be built through their land
Cocke, William; Anderson, Joseph; Rhea, John; and Campbell, George W.	1804	NG [Knoxville, TN]	Out	Gives the status of the mounted infantry called for by the President to go to New Orleans
Dearborn, H.	1803	Knoxville, TN	Out	States the readiness of 500 infantry to proceed to Natchez and desires to forward them one month's pay

Dearborn, H. (US Secretary of War)	1804	Knoxville, TN	Out	Gives the status of the mounted infantry called for by the President to go to New Orleans, inquires after their payment, and discusses the proposed road from TN to GA
Governor of KY	1803	Knoxville, TN	Out	Cover letter for an act of the Tennessee State Legislature that provides for the boundary between TN and KY to be surveyed.
Governor of GA	1804	NG [Knoxville, TN]	Out	Advises that the State Legislature's opinion must be obtained concerning building a road from TN to GA
McCory, Thomas	1803	Knoxville, TN	Out	Request \$50 from treasurer of Mero and Hamilton Districts for purchase of a quadrant [surveying tool]
Meigs, Return (Colonel)	1803	Knoxville, TN	Out	Desires to attend negotiations with the Cherokee regarding a proposed road through Indian lands
Meigs, Return (Colonel)	1803	Knoxville, TN	Out	States that a Cherokee chief, Double Head has a slave that belongs to Edward Teale and desires that the slave be returned or compensation made
Members of Congress from TN	1804	Knoxville, TN	Out	Requests that the land dispute with North Carolina be brought before Congress as quickly as possible
Overton, John	1804	Knoxville, TN	Out	Assures that every attempt is being made to address the land dispute with NC at the federal level as quickly as possible so that the state legislature can take the best course when it convenes

President of the US [Jefferson, Thomas]	1804	Knoxville, TN	Out	Acknowledges receipt of letter and proposal to amend the US Constitution concerning election of President and Vice President
TN State Legislature	1803	Knoxville, TN	Out	Desires that the "Land Law" be passed
TN State Legislature	1803	Knoxville, TN	Out	States an inability to give the numbers of militia and arms in state service because it has not been reported
TN State Legislature	1807	Knoxville, TN	Out	Address upon the opening of the legislative session giving the status of the state's affairs
Treasurers of East and West TN	1807	Knoxville, TN	Out	Authorizing payment to Russell Goodrich, legal agent of Eli Whitney and Phineas Miller, for the patent right to the cotton gin